

**BANDIT SHOT; BANDIT IS CAPTURED.**

Two officers, responsible for a large number of similar crimes, were shot and killed by a high-ranking bandit, who was captured and killed by the men.

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BY EDWIN F. O'MALLEY.

THOSE peaky Seals are already beginning to perturb us. Word comes from the north that Fitzgerald may revert to them, as the Philistines are not a-biding to pay over the draft price for Justice. With this Jack-be-himself back in the fold, Jerry Down is sure to present a formidable line-up on April 2. He has his last year's infield intact—a mighty asset in itself, and one difficult to match.

Fitz is a run getter and almost unequalled anywhere as a leader-off in the batting list. If Down simply makes a fair stab at filling Schaller's and Maise's boots, he will have a team not much inferior to that of his champions of 1917. The only comfort we glean from the present posture of affairs is the fact that Jerry will be somewhat weak in the heavy line owing to the absence of Erickson. Oh, Mr. Moran, you would confer an inestimable boon on us if you would press Fitz to your heart with hands of steel!

**NOW FOR THE ANGELS.**

Now for the Angels. Killefer is already engulfed in a sea of trouble. Maggett's knee has run out on him. The offending joint is all out of tune and jangled. Hart is some menace on the bases. He is always in high gear and drawing throws, and throws are not always accurate. Through his daring, he negotiates many a run, but daring and brain knees don't give and we fear that on this account Maggett will be of little use to the Angels this year.

The member may mend to such an extent that Hart could perform with his old-time alacrity in center, but we are skeptical about his taking a chance on the bags. Being one of the most conscientious players we have ever seen on the Coast, it is a foregone conclusion that Maggett would forget all about his physical handicap the moment he sacked it, and away would go the treacherous member.

On the heels of Maggett's misfortune comes the smashing of one of Kenworthy's fingers. We hope it is on the left hand, as we were riding in the hope that Kenworthy would spring his Waterman in a contest in a few days. Without Hart and Bill in the opening-day line-up, we can't see where Red is going to get off with a winning start from Mac and his bees. Let us hope, however, that the alarm in our system is only a figment of imagination and that things will have boded up more favorably by the time Mayor Woodman squares himself to toss the first ball over the plate.

**A JOIT FOR FRED FULTON.**

A fellow named Coward swiped some of the gilt off Fulton's gingerbread last week. Fred, however, laid his man low in the sixth round. Nevertheless, reports have it that for three of the rounds Master Coward had the better of the mill; that he had Fred groggy at the end of the first session, and that just to make matters interesting he closed the plasterer's right eye soon after hostilities began.

Ringside accounts, however, are often misleading. We once knew a young reporter who witnessed the Rivers-Cross bout at Vernon some years ago who phoned to a friend of his: "Cross was groggy in almost every round."

**PERPETUAL MOTION SOLVED.**

Perpetual motion has at last been solved, and his name is Jack Dempsey. At Memphis, last Saturday night, Jack put his man away at the end of two minutes in the first round. On March 25 he will battle Gunboat Smith and two days later Tom Cowler. He probably will clean up in the jungles in the meantime.

**THREE-CUSHION EXPERTS.**

The latest three-cushioners in the three-cushion line are Kick-hofer, Carnefarre and Mauphume. Unless an announcer wanted to play it safe by claiming someone had put soap on the tip of his cue, he would have to execute a most difficult verbal name before he could purr forth that these three worthies were about to meet in a tournament.

**ALEXANDER IS VERSATILE.**

Alexander, the last word in the art of catapulting horsehide, is a Squared Circle.

**MIDDLE WEST SENDS OUT NEW BOXING STAR.**

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 18.—The Middle West has a new boxing star to talk about—Jack Malone, the St. Paul flash, who has been making a name for himself recently. For a time Joe Egan and Bryan Downey held the boards, but they have been sidetracked since Malone began to shine and there is nothing the fans would rather see just now than a match between Jack and Ted Lewis.

**PREMIERS ATTEND BIG WAR CONFERENCE.**

LONDON, March 18.—Meetings of the Supreme War Council and important political conferences, under the presidency of Premier David Lloyd George, were held in Downing street Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

**MANILA SHIP STRIKE ENDS.**

MANILA, March 18.—The strike declared March 11 by sailors engaged in service on the ships plying between the islands of the archipelago has been settled. Grants of wage increases have been made. Shipping was entirely tied up, trade was paralyzed and there was danger of famine in several of the provincial towns.

**HEAVY BATTING SEASON DUE IN MAJOR LEAGUES.**

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 18.—A season of heavy hitting seems about due in the major leagues, as the gathering of the players at the national training camps shows plainly that the pitching staffs have been hit harder by the draft than any other department of the game. With only half a dozen 300 hitters in the National League last season, there has been a general demand among baseball men to curb the pitching and give the fans more hitting and run making. There is no chance of the Rules Committee getting together this spring to make any changes in the batting rules, but with the pitching perceptibly weakened there will probably be no need to take any radical measures to increase batting.

**CUBANS GRANTED AMNESTY.**

HAVANA, March 18.—All those who took part in the revolution of February, 1917, except the military, are granted amnesty by a bill which passed the House of Representatives today. The measure passed the Senate last week and now goes to the President for his signature. Civil officials are given the right by the bill to open the way to occupy their offices by court action.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, March 18.—American artillery on the Toul front today bombarded towns within the enemy lines. On several occasions a considerable number of gas shells were used. The gunners also dropped projectiles on enemy trenches.

**HAT TIPS MAKE TWO VERY RICH.**

Two Brothers' Gross Receipts \$750,000 in Seven Years, Court Told.

**NEW YORK, March 18.**—Joseph A. Bussard and his brother, Harry J. Bussard, collected \$750,000 gross in tips for checking hats and coats in New York restaurants and hotels in seven years, according to statements made in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn today by Joseph.

**NEW YORK, March 18.**—Four persons claiming French citizenship but whom both American and French authorities may have been intimately connected with the German espionage activities in the United States, were formally arrested today by agents of the Department of Justice. They will be turned over to immigration authorities for deportation to France.

**HALTED AT KEY WEST.**

**Half a Bushel of Papers Seized.**

**NEW YORK, March 18.**—The American army in France, March 17.—The American troops who have been in action along the Chemin des Dames are a division composed exclusively of non-combatant units. The division contained units from all the New England States, troops from Massachusetts having been especially active.

**ENTER ENEMY TRENCHES.**

An American patrol last night entered the enemy trenches at one end of the sector and penetrated them for some distance without difficulty. Much valuable information was gathered. As they were about ready to return, their advance contact with the enemy, who opened fire with a machine gun. The Americans jumped to a safe position and buried grenades at the enemy gunners, silencing the gun.

**ENEMY LINE STRONG.**

Another patrol on the other end of the sector reported that the enemy first line was held firm. While the raiders were inspecting the German positions, the enemy fired upon the raiders with rifles and machine guns, which are unusual at that point.

**MAJ. MITCHEL GIVEN JAPANESE CORDON.**

SAN DIEGO, March 18.—Major John Purroy Mitchell, summary court officer at the Rockwell Field Signal Corps aviation school, has been decorated with the Third Order of the Rising Sun with Cordon by Emperor Meiji of Japan. The decoration has been accepted. The decoration was conferred for courtesies and services extended to the members of the Japanese war commission when Maj. Mitchell was Mayor of New York City. As the order was conferred on Maj. Mitchell before he entered the United States flying corps, he may accept it without violating military regulations.

**PRISONERS' EXCHANGE OPPOSED BY PREMIER.**

LONDON, March 18.—Replying to preliminary deputations which had urged a general exchange of German and British prisoners under 45 years of age, Premier David Lloyd George today declined to give his consent to the proposal. He said that the plan would mean the exchange of 3000 British prisoners at Kuhlshorn against about 14,000 Germans held in British prison camps.

**HISTORY OF SUSPECTS.**

Superintendent De Woody gave the following detailed history of the four suspects: "Mme. Storch, also known as Mme. Nestle, Mme. Hesketh and Baroness de Beville, claims to have been born in Constantinople twenty-three years ago. She married Paul Storch, a Frenchman, (Continued on Fourth Page.)

**GET PHOTOGRAPH.**

American observers succeeded in accomplishing much work which the recent ground haze had prevented. They obtained badly wanted photographs and observed certain tanks back of the German lines. American troops in the Lunenburg sector have been favored by fairly heavy bombardments during the past twenty-four hours but have not been high in the air. (Continued on Third Page.)



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(AT A. P. NIGHT WIRE)  
WASHINGTON, March 18.—  
The House and Senate today  
have reached an agreement  
on the principal features of  
a bill for the sale of silver.  
The bill provides for the  
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WAR HEADS SUSPEND  
EIGHT-HOUR-DAY RULE  
(AT A. P. NIGHT WIRE)  
WASHINGTON, March 18.—  
The War Department today  
has suspended the eight-hour  
day rule for the duration of  
the war. The suspension  
applies to all war workers,  
and to all workers in the  
war industries.

CALIFORNIA GIRL  
HINDU PLOTTER  
(AT A. P. NIGHT WIRE)  
SALINAS, Calif., March 18.—  
A Hindu woman, who is  
believed to be a spy, was  
arrested here today. She  
is believed to be a spy, and  
is being held in custody.

37,000 BOY WORKERS  
ASKED OF CALIFORNIA  
(AT A. P. NIGHT WIRE)  
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WAR-THREATS  
AS PARLIAMENT OPENS  
(AT A. P. NIGHT WIRE)  
OTTAWA, March 18.—  
The House of Commons today  
opened its session with a  
speech by the Prime Minister,  
Mr. Borden. He spoke of  
the war, and of the need for  
unity and cooperation.

URGENT GRAIN FILLING  
IN CAN SHIPMENTS.  
(AT A. P. NIGHT WIRE)  
WASHINGTON, March 18.—  
The War Department today  
has issued an urgent appeal  
to the grain shippers to  
fill the grain ships as soon  
as possible.

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Warmer Temperatures Reported  
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Fine Ships for Allies

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made and the vessels will be put to  
the food transport service. They  
will be armed to resist the attacks  
of German submarines in the war  
zone and trained American gun  
crews will man the guns.  
Many of the Dutch sailors are ex-  
pected to remain with the ships.  
American officers will be placed in  
charge to comply with the shipping  
laws, but the provision requiring  
that two-thirds of the crews shall  
be citizens of the country will be  
waived as in previous cases. Friend-  
liness of Dutch seamen to the Allied  
causes, resulting as it is from the  
submarine warfare of the war, is  
probably the main reason for the  
loan of half of them to continue their  
work.

READY AT NEW YORK  
(AT A. P. NIGHT WIRE)  
NEW YORK, March 18.—All ar-  
rangements for the seizure or taking  
over by the United States of the  
Dutch ships now in New York har-  
bor set for tomorrow, were com-  
pleted today by representatives of  
the United States Shipping Board.  
The method of procedure, it is un-  
derstood, will be similar to that fol-  
lowed in the seizure of the German  
vessels after the United States en-  
tered the war, with the exception  
that the Dutch officers and crews  
will not be treated as prisoners, but  
as "guests of the nation," one official  
said.

THE MAN OF THE CREW will be al-  
lowed to land under the same con-  
ditions as the crew of the ship.  
If they choose, however, to re-  
main on board, they will be per-  
mitted to do so. An opportunity will  
be given them to sign new articles on  
the vessels under the new manage-  
ment.  
A majority of the officers of the  
vessels, according to an official, are  
members of the Navy Reserve.  
Holland, which will prevent them  
from accepting service under a for-  
eign flag unless they renounce al-  
legiance to their own country.  
Virtually all the officers have asked  
to be returned to their homes.

SEAMEN WANTED  
(AT A. P. NIGHT WIRE)  
BOSTON (Mass.) March 18.—Of-  
ficers of the Shipping Board re-  
cruiting service said tonight they  
were devoting all their energies at  
present to obtaining 4000 American  
seamen to man the Dutch ships to  
be taken over by the United States.  
Henry Howard, a director of recruit-  
ing, has sent out a call to all section  
chiefs of the navigation and en-  
gineering schools of the service, ask-  
ing for an immediate report on deck  
and engine officers available for  
duty.

CONFERENCE ON POWER BILL  
Angelenos Attend Hearing on  
Measure Before House Com-  
mittee at Washington.  
(BY DIRECT WIRE—RECEIVED DISPATCH)  
WASHINGTON, March 18.—W. B.  
Mathews of Los Angeles and John  
A. Britton, of the Pacific Gas and  
Power Company of San Francisco,  
were the only representatives of the  
Pacific Coast at the hearing on the  
water power bill, which began to-  
day in the House. The bill will  
give all water power problems in-  
to the control of the Secretary of  
Agriculture, Interior and War. This  
board has drawn a bill which rep-  
resents the desires of the adminis-  
tration and hearing of the committee  
has brought to Washington the re-  
quest of the Pacific Coast for the  
number of men from all over the  
country who are greatly interested in  
the water power of the country.  
Mr. Mathews' bill for the relief  
of the city of Los Angeles in con-  
nection with right-of-way for the  
aqueduct both for water and power  
is the subject of the bill. The bill  
is also the bill introduced at the  
request of the Pacific Coast for the  
similar rights for the purpose of  
food control.

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GERMAN KULTUR IS SAVED;  
CHILDREN THROWN INTO SEA.

(AT ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)

AMSTERDAM, March 17.  
The Armenian corres-  
pondence bureau at The  
Hague declares that re-entry  
of Turks into Trebizond, cap-  
ital of the vilayet of the same  
name in Asia Minor, was  
marked by fresh acts of sav-  
agery and rioting. The plan  
was to leave no Armenian  
alive in the occupied terri-  
tory. Thousands of Russian  
soldiers captured by Turk-  
ish cavalry were shot, drowned  
and burned to death.  
The Armenians were sub-  
jected to indescribable tor-  
tures. Backs filled with chil-  
dren were thrown into the  
sea, old women and men were  
crucified or mutilated and all  
young women and girls were  
handed over to the Turks.

The Wise Sayings of Sport O'Malley.

(Continued from First Page.)

somewhat versatile genius. He is there with a fadeaway in the theatrical  
line. At Pasadena yesterday he made a tremendous hit in the role of  
Achilles sailing in his barge. We still have a mutual on Alce. He  
has a happy faculty of giggling out of a pinch, and if he doesn't make  
Manager Mitchell swing in vain at three of his best assortment in the  
next few days we'll be the most surprised mortal this side of the Tehachas.

A LAUGH OF GEORGE STOVALL.  
No, dear reader, that was not the roar of a fourteen-inch gun that  
sent its thunderous reverberations from San Pedro about 5 o'clock Sun-  
day afternoon. Pedestrians throughout Los Angeles were almost tilted off  
their legs. The noise was simply a hearty laugh from one George Stovall.

WORK OF DE VORMER.  
At first blush it looks as if Manager Esick has secured a nifty player in  
Catcher De Vormer. He meets the ball with a full, healthy swing and  
usually clips it close to the ground. His peg is peculiar. He usually throws  
his right arm straight up before swinging it, but the ball seems to get  
there just the same. If De Vormer lives up to anything like his work of  
Sunday afternoon Manager Esick need have no more worries about his  
catching department.

UNREASONABLE COLDS.  
If Red Killefer or Bill Esick could get that band of submariners to  
root for them the rest of the season, either manager would cop the bun-  
ting in a breeze. These submerged babies are there with the throat. One  
of them, in particular, with a bark like a siren, centered his barrage on  
Pitcher McMorran last Sunday. During the volley a Vernon fan feebly  
warbled: "Throw that sea lion a fish." The sub, however, returned his  
fire with telling effect: "Yes, indeed, I'm the ghost of Big Ben and you'll  
have to fling me a whole before you can stop me."

LOSS FROM U-BOATS.  
Lost on the Pacific Coast from U-boats for the week ending March  
17: Under 1400 tons, ten trawlers and five lighters; over 1400 tons, cru-  
isers Killefer and Esick, totaling seventeen. This is the heaviest toll that  
has been taken in some weeks.

PASADENA IS ROUSED.  
Between Alexander's defection and Hollister's sensational work  
around the short field, Pasadena has been roused from its usual slumber  
to a real pep. If a Cuban were to remain around the Hotel  
Green for a month, Pasadena's curfew probably would be extended from  
7 o'clock p.m. until 10 o'clock p.m.

TOM DARMODY ANNOYED.  
In box No. 1 at Washington Park, Sunday afternoon, a man was seen  
to flop around at times like a beached minnow. His contortions were of  
a baseball turn. He finally got Tom Darmody's goat.  
"My dear man," said Tom in his quiet little way, "you'll have to cut  
that out, as you're annoying the spectators."  
"I beg your pardon, sir," returned the offender. "My name's Harry  
Stewart and I used to pitch for the Vernons. I just can't sit still and  
look at a ball game. I've been on the field for the last ten minutes work-  
ing in place of McMorran. I've been in every play, but I guess I had bet-  
ter beat it" and beat it he did. Quiet reigned in the boxes thereafter.

AMBASSADOR FRANCIS  
IS EXPECTED IN KOREA.

(BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.)

TOKIO, March 18.—The Amer-  
ican Ambassador to Russia,  
David R. Francis, the Japa-  
nese Ambassador and the diplo-  
matic representatives of Great  
Britain and France were expected  
to arrive at Seoul today, according  
to advices from the Korean capital.  
They are on the way to Japan.

NORTHERN IDAHO BEING  
PURGED OF I.W.W. MENACE.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE)

S. T. MARIES (Idaho) March 18.  
—As the first step to what Ad-  
miral Charles E. Mendenhall an-  
nounced today would be a general  
round-up of I.W.W.'s in northern  
Idaho, fifty supposed members of  
the organization were taken into  
custody today at Pomeroy, a lum-  
ber town near here, and examined  
by Capt. Herman H. Taylor of the  
State guards and Sheriff E. B.  
Noland.  
Of these, ten were held for further  
inquiry and the others were re-  
leased on the basis of the State law.

FREED GERMAN PRISONERS  
AID SIBERIAN BOLSHEVIKI

(BY PACIFIC CABLE AND A. P.)

HARBIN (Manchuria) March  
18.—Released German pris-  
oners are co-operating with the  
Bolsheviks in Siberia in the  
campaign against the forces of Gen.  
Semenoff, leader of the non-Bolshe-  
vik faction.  
Wounded soldiers of Gen. Semen-  
off's command are in a battle, for-  
merly they were freed upon by the  
Bolsheviks, forces of H. H. esti-  
mated that 200 Germans took part  
in the fighting.

Yankees at Front.

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been giving the enemy as much as  
received. Patrols at two points es-  
tablished contact with the enemy  
last night and early this morning.  
After brief firing, the Germans re-  
tired.  
American soldiers are still hold-  
ing the Mecklenburg trench, taken  
two days ago, and which it is now  
permitted to name. The anti-air-  
craft guns east of Lonsville were  
extremely busy today in driving off  
enemy airplanes.

BOMB GAS PROJECTORS  
(AT ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN  
FRANCE, Friday, March 15.—  
American artillery last night again  
bombarded the enemy's positions  
detected in the German lines north-  
west of Toul. Photographs taken  
later showed the complete destruc-  
tion of the enemy's gun fire. The  
enemy replied rather weakly, but  
maintained frequent periods of fire.  
There has been no infantry activity  
except the usual patrols through-  
out the night. The enemy reported  
no losses, but the enemy reported  
no losses.

CASUALTIES FORTY-FOUR  
(AT A. P. NIGHT WIRE)  
WASHINGTON, March 18.—Forty-  
four names appear on today's casu-  
alty list issued by the War Depart-  
ment, including that of Capt. James  
E. Miller, either killed in action or  
taken prisoner.  
Eight men were killed in action,  
six died from wounds, twelve died  
from disease, one died from acci-  
dent. The names of the killed were:  
Lieut. John G. Kelly, died from an  
accident; Lieut. Edmund F. Glover,  
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ALLIED PLANES DOWNED.  
(AT ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
BERLIN, March 18 (via London).  
—Twenty-two airplanes were  
brought down by the Germans yester-  
day on the Franco-Belgian front,  
army headquarters announced today.  
French airmen, the statement de-  
clares, bombed hostile establish-  
ments at Lethour (north of Rheims).  
ITALIAN OFFICIAL.  
(AT ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
ROME, March 18.—Increased  
activity along the front sectors  
of the mountain front and the Piave  
is reported in today's War Office  
statement. Austrian raiding detach-  
ments along the lower part of the  
Piave line were driven off.

BRITISH REPORT.  
(AT ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
LONDON, March 18.—English  
troops carried out a successful raid  
last night south of Arras and  
captured several prisoners with lit-  
tle loss to themselves. A section of  
the British communication. "Casualties  
were inflicted on the enemy in patrol  
encounters northeast of Zonnebekke."  
"Hostile artillery was active dur-  
ing the night south of the Banne-  
meed of Lens, and there was con-  
siderable activity against our for-  
ward area between Warstein and  
Zonnebekke."

ARTILLERY ACTIVE.  
(AT ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
PARIS, March 18.—Artillery  
is continuing in the Verdun sec-  
tor and has become rather heavy in  
the Vosges region, the War Office  
announced in this afternoon's state-  
ment. German raiding parties were  
driven off at several points.

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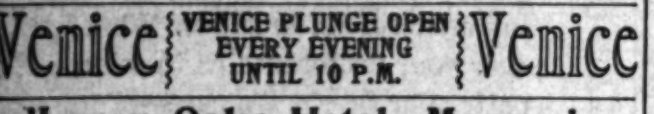
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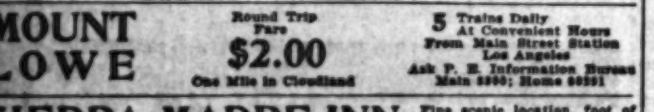
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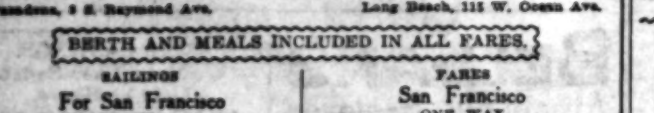


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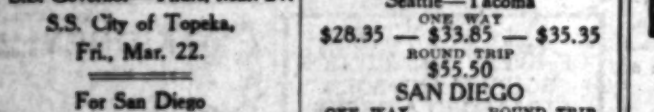


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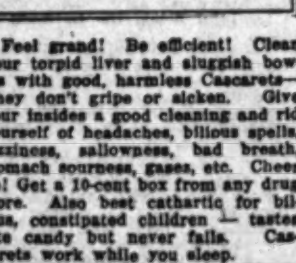
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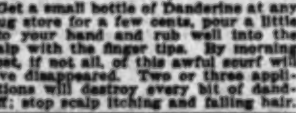
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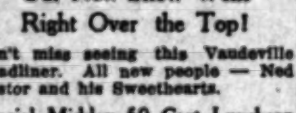


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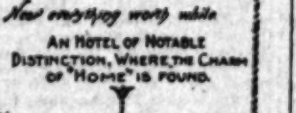


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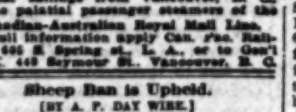


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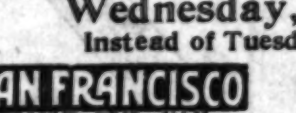


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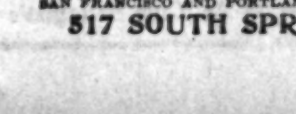


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**WE MUST CUT CEREAL RATION.**

America Must Send More to France, Says Tardieu.

Necessary for People to Agree to Further Privations.

Tells Why French Have not Observed Meatless Days.

BALTIMORE, March 17.—America must do more toward reducing the domestic consumption of cereals and help exports of that food to France, said Andre Tardieu, French high commissioner to the United States, in an address before the Southern Commercial Congress.

"You must do it because it is a case of necessity, because it must be done," asserted Mr. Tardieu. "For these last three months the shipments of cereals from America to Europe have been short about one-third of the supply recognized as indispensable to strictly compressed needs."

Summing up some of the economic of food practiced in France and to emphasize his request for more food from America, Mr. Tardieu said:

"You are aware that the French nation has always lived mostly on wheat bread. Our present consumption was 700,000 tons per month. Our present consumption is 550,000 tons, a reduction of about 25 per cent."

"Feeding of horses and cattle on cereals which could be used for the making of bread has been prohibited. This resulted in a decrease of 50 per cent in the number of horses and cattle in an important reduction of cereals."

"I heard that some Americans who were in France, a few weeks ago, have been wondering why we have not kept meatless days."

"This suppressing of meatless days resulted from the lack of cereals for cattle feeding, which involved the killing of cattle, and the killing of cattle was meant, on the other hand, to bring about a reduction in the human consumption of these same cereals. I may be allowed to add that, of late, my good friend Mr. Hoover insisted that as far as possible we ought to try to substitute meat consumption for cereals."

"We have reduced our sugar consumption by 45 per cent, our rice consumption by 51 per cent, our imports of rice have been reduced by 51 per cent, of oil and fats, by 45 per cent."

"The people who have imposed such sacrifices on themselves are people who have kept fighting for almost four years; a people who have been killed and maimed, a population which, excluding the invaded territories, does not exceed 35,000,000 inhabitants, a people whose women and children have taken the burden of industrial and agricultural work left by men; a people whose armies lost over a million men in killed, about a million men maimed—a people whose army, nevertheless, is still holding, with an unshakable steadiness, over two-thirds of the western front."

"I am aware of what you have done in order to reduce your domestic consumption and to reduce your exports. But you must do more. You must do it for it is a case of necessity. You must do it because it is a case of necessity."

"We, and our European allies, the British, and the Italians, have been taught to suffer. Americans, who are now sharing our burden of blood and of death on the battle line, we are requesting you to share, as well, in the rear, our burden of suffering. In order that you and we win the war, it is necessary that you, here in America, should all agree to a new effort and to new privations."

**CADET WATTS KILLED IN AIRPLANE FALL.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

FORT WORTH (Tex.) March 18.—Cadet Plier Ellis R. Watts, Three Hundred and Seventy-ninth Aero Squadron, was instantly killed and Capt. L. V. Drake, R.F.C., was injured today when their airplane fell 100 feet from the sky.

**GUILITY OF COWARDICE.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

HOUSTON (Tex.) March 18.—Sgt. Claude E. Mason and Private Robert E. Fye, members of Co. M, 101st Cavalry, were charged with cowardice today by a court-martial of the infantry, who recently shot each other in the leg in order to escape military service, he was charged with cowardice by a court-martial of the infantry. The men are from Illinois and were stationed at Camp Logan here.

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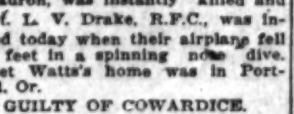
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**Halted at Key West.**

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from whom she was divorced in 1912. She was a familiar figure in fashionable hotels of London, Madrid, Lisbon and at the Waldorf and Astoria in New York.

"She claimed intimate association with very prominent officials of foreign governments. At the Savoy Hotel in London she is known to have been in the company of a prominent British official on numerous occasions. There she was known as Mme. Hesketh. It was during this time that authorities first became interested in her activities."

"A short time later Mme. Storch was reported to be en route to this country but was next located in Madrid in association with officials of the German secret service."

"Though Mme. Storch's living expenses were approximately \$1000 monthly since coming here in April, 1918, her explanation of the source of her income has been unsatisfactory. She admits having received \$2000 from an official of a foreign government, but prior to coming here and subsequently received three remittances of \$1000 each, which she claims were loans from 'friends.'"

"While living in Madrid with Baron de Berling in 1918, she explained the source of her income as being German spies, but secured their release and went to Cuba and later to Key West."

"Last February Mme. Storch obtained a French passport under the name of Mme. Storch. She had been living at the Biltmore up to this time as Mme. Neale. Then it was noted that she had obtained a French passport for Cuba. Quite unexpectedly she was reported to be in Key West, staying at the Shoreham Hotel and then returned to New York. They were here a week and then one week ago departed for Cuba, but were taken off the boat at Key West and brought back to the United States."

"Since then they have been 'guests' of the government at an uptown hotel, where they occupied two rooms, continually under guard."

"Among their associates were Mme. Nix and Count de Clairmont. Mme. Nix is a German alien, 41 years of age, and was born in Berlin. Her maiden name was Herrmann."

"Count de Clairmont claims to have been born in Sumatra, Dutch East Indies, and was in the United States in 1913. In 1913 he went to Europe, and in 1915 came back to the United States. He was then proceeding with Mme. Nix to France and Genoa, Italy. In December, 1917, they were arrested by the United States authorities and were held in the custody of the United States authorities. Since then they have been about the country considering the present position of the woman."

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"The French Embassy gives no endorsement to any of these persons, but regards them as suspicious. Their many activities, mildly stated, give abundant reason to believe they have served the interests of Germany."

**BLAST KILLS SIXTEEN IN FRENCH FACTORY.**

AMERICAN SOLDIERS AND RED CROSS AID NEEDED, CARE FOR HOMELESS.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)

PARIS, March 18.—Two very violent explosions Friday in a factory at La Courneuve, north of Paris, caused the death of sixteen persons and the injury of a larger number, mostly slightly, according to an official announcement.

"The cause of the explosion has not yet been definitely determined. American Red Cross and army ambulances were sent to the scene of the explosions. A large fleet of ambulances, kept at the ready in case of an emergency, were started for the scene within a few minutes after the explosion. The explosion was caused by a number of wounded were carried to hospitals in motor trucks of the American army."

An American army officer dressed the wounds of a child cut by flying glass nearly a mile from the scene of the explosion.

Survivors declared that the accident was due to a man dropping a box of percussion fuses, which set off a box of grenades from the workmen, realizing the danger, escaped with more or less severe injuries.

All roofs and windows within a circumference of miles from the buildings were blown away. The violence of the explosion. In every quarter of the city windows were shattered and furniture was overturned.

In a public school at Aubervilliers there was a panic and four girls died from fright. Nearly 100 persons are sheltered as the result of damage to their homes.

Regarding the assistance given the Red Cross by American soldiers, a municipal councillor of Bourges where the explosion occurred, said the man who must pay for the damage done in which the American Red Cross organized assistance. American soldiers showed devotion not to forgetting in finding the injured, giving first aid, moving the unfortunate to safer localities and assisting those who had escaped to a hotel set aside for them."

An official investigation of the cause of the explosion has been begun.

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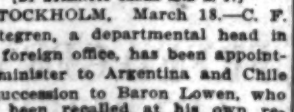
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Plan to Continue "Finished Mystery" Admitted.

As the result of a lecture meeting on "The Finished Mystery" held at San Bernardino on Sunday by the International Bible Students' Association, Department of Justice agents yesterday made three arrests on a charge of distributing seditious literature and seized more than 100 copies of the book.

E. J. Sonnenburg, a native of Germany, but an American citizen; Edward Hamm, whose father was born in Germany, and Mrs. "Dr." J. Martin were arrested at San Bernardino and placed in the County Jail there. Their bail was fixed at \$5000.

That J. W. Adams, a former Methodist minister, declared the government would have to "cut my head off to destroy my knowledge of the book," was alleged by Department of Justice agents who attended the lecture. No charge was made against Adams.

In some of the books seized the alleged seditious part had been cut out, but Department of Justice officials alleged the separated leaves were still in the books brought by them for evidence.

**SANTA ANA SEIZURE.**

At Santa Ana seventy copies of "The Finished Mystery," ordered confiscated by the government, were turned over yesterday by International Bible Students' Association officials there to City Marshal Jernigan, to be held by him until further instructions are given by the Federal authorities.

R. B. Barker, secretary, and Edward Stark, chairman of the Executive Committee, at Santa Ana, said that from the books the seven pages found objectionable by the Los Angeles Federal authorities had been cut out, and the books thought of as "The Finished Mystery," to be held by him until further instructions are given by the Federal authorities.

TO CONTINUE SALE.

That the local offices of the International Bible Students' Association, distributors of the seditious book, "The Finished Mystery," were determined to continue the circulation of the work in some form "purged" form, was stated yesterday by James J. Eagleton, arrested on complaint of United States District Attorney O'Connor.

Eagleton stated yesterday that at a meeting of the officials of the International Bible Students' Association last Thursday evening, at which the book was discussed, it was decided to continue the circulation of the book as soon as the government released the volumes captured in a raid of the outfit by the Army Intelligence Bureau, a week or so ago.

Neither Assistant United States District Attorney W. F. Fleck, Palmer nor Eagleton was ready for the preliminary hearing, and it was set for Friday morning. The bond was fixed at \$1000, and Eagleton said he could give it, but soon afterward Warren Williams, attorney for Eagleton, said he would not do so.

The figure is that agreed on by Atty-Gen. Gregory to cover all such cases.

**BANNED BY GOVERNMENT.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Because "The Finished Mystery," a Bible study text, described patriotism as a "certain delusion," a "narrow-minded hatred of our people," and was a "work of Satan," distribution of the book was forbidden by the Department of Justice, acting under the Espionage Act.

Thousands of copies of the book have been seized in many States, but it was not until today that the department decided to prohibit its distribution. District attorneys were notified to prosecute any dealers of the book, and to seize the book from other persons selling or offering the book for sale or for distribution.

The book purports to be the posthumous work of the late Pastor Charles Taze Russell and was published in Brooklyn by the Peoples Pulpit Association, with which are affiliated the International Bible Students' Association, and the Watch Tower Society and Bible Association. It was compiled by Clayton J. Woodworth of Scranton, Pa., who has been arrested on a charge of seditious writings. He is alleged to be a member of the German spy ring, and to have been a member of the German spy ring, and to have been a member of the German spy ring.

The Department of Justice explained that it would not have taken action against the book if it had been written before the war, or if all the material had been really that of Pastor Russell, who died in 1916. It is understood the publishers have agreed after consultation with postoffice department officials, to eliminate the objectionable passages.

Some time ago the book was banned from the mails by Canadian authorities.

**SWEDEN SENDS NEW ENVOY TO ARGENTINE.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)

STOCKHOLM, March 18.—C. F. Hultgren, a departmental head in the foreign office, has been appointed minister to Argentina and Chile in succession to Baron Low, who has been recalled at his own request.

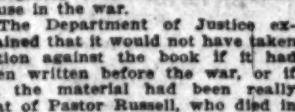
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**RAINFALL GENERAL NORTH OF TEHACHEPI.**

HEAVIEST PRECIPITATION AT SANTA BARBARA, OXNARD AND VENTURA.

Rain is falling generally over the northern part of the State, with light precipitation reported at Santa Monica and Venice, while up to time of going to press but a trace had fallen in Los Angeles and vicinity.

From northern reports the storm began early yesterday morning and fell all day, with prospects for an all-night downpour from reports received at a late hour last night.

The following table shows precipitation for the storm which began early yesterday morning, for the season and for this date last year at the points given:

Station	Storm Season	Last Year
Los Angeles	12.48	14.58
Santa Monica	11.11	14.58
Venice	11.11	14.58
Santa Barbara	1.00	12.79
Oxnard	1.00	12.79
Ventura	1.00	12.79
San Jose	1.00	12.79
San Francisco	1.00	12.79
San Diego	1.00	12.79
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San Luis Obispo	1.00	12.79
Bakersfield	1.00	12.79

(BY DIRECT WIRE—RECEIVED DISPATCH.)

SANTA BARBARA, March 18.—A drizzling southeast storm began at an early hour Monday morning, and continued steadily all day, the day over the entire county. Tonight the barometer is low and the wind in the southeast, giving every promise of a prolonged storm. All highway routes to the northern end of the county from this city are impassable. Flood conditions have not as yet been reached.

AT OXNARD.

(BY DIRECT WIRE—RECEIVED DISPATCH.)

OXNARD, March 18.—Rain has fallen steadily since early this morning, the precipitation at 9 o'clock amounting to .34 of an inch. Indications point to an all-night downpour. The rain at this particular time is rather unfortunate, as it will interfere with the planting operations, which were being carried on on an extensive scale.



# News from South of Tehachas's Top Los Angeles County Items.

## MILITARY CAMP, IF WE FAIL

Condition of World Shows Huns Win, Says Borah.

Republican Form of Government at Stake in War.

Security and Stability Best of a Thousand Trials.

(BY A. F. NORT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The Senate today was in session for the first time since the American war aims, Senator Borah, Republican member of the Foreign Relations Committee, emphasized the point that the United States is not engaged merely in a war to win, but that the conflict has at stake the principle of a republican form of government.

"The policies of President Wilson and the policies of the United States are not at issue in this war," he said. "The issue is whether we are to have a republican form of government or not."

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## SIERRA MADRE FLYER

WEDS GLENDALE GIRL.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

SIERRA MADRE, March 10.—Flying cadet Charles Schwartz III, surprised his father, Prefect Schwartz, on Saturday with a telegram announcing his marriage at San Diego to Miss Elizabeth Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller of Glendale.

The marriage ceremony was performed at Christ Church in Coronado by Rev. Charles Spaulding, an uncle of the bridegroom. "Charles" Schwartz, as he was known to his companions, at the outbreak of the war, enlisted in the coast artillery. Later, at his request, he was transferred to the aviation corps at San Diego. He graduated from the Pasadena High School and took his course in the ground flying school at Berkeley, California, passing with high honors. He made his first flight last week and is an enthusiastic aviator.

His brother William at the present time is somewhere in France in the Engineers. He is a student at the University of Pennsylvania. Prefect Schwartz, father of these boys, is the head of the largest family in Sierra Madre, which consists of nine robust children. Mr. Schwartz is one of the city's staunchest and most patriotic citizens.

The Schwartz family are related through the father with the old revolutionary stock of Pennsylvania. Mr. Schwartz belongs to one of the pioneer families of this section.

WANTS SIMPLICITY.

Farm Director Says Too Much Money In School Buildings; Not Enough In Real Education.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

FORTVILLE, March 10.—The greatest college in America began with a real teacher, trusted on one end of a log in a virgin forest, and a real student on the other end of the log. Prof. C. R. Crocker, of the University of California, who is in charge of a California tour of 149 farm advisers, in the course of an address on education to the Poplar Farm Bureau here.

He maintains that money is needlessly spent in the construction of fine buildings, "takes to pay for which keep the people poor, and which, because of the small amount of money available for teachers, makes of these schools mere museums for ambitious students."

He believes, he said, that the high school should be a small unit, situated in the rural district, with more attention paid to practical subjects.

MODERN SURGERY

IN WAR DISCUSSED.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

SANTA MONICA, March 10.—"Modern Surgery in the War and German Propaganda" was the subject of the address given before 200 members and guests of the Santa Monica-Cosmos Club last evening by Dr. Andrew Stewart, prominent Los Angeles surgeon, at a banquet in the Merritt-Jones Hotel this evening.

Dr. Stewart, chairman of the Advertising Committee of the chamber, told of the manifold accomplishments of the organization during the past year, and its programs for the future.

Other speakers were Mayor S. L. Berkley, and Commissioners William H. Carter and Frank J. Townsend. Dr. Stewart, president of the chamber, and William Schneider, who was the president of the former Ocean Park chamber.

Miss Charlene Welch of Santa Monica delighted the diners with her unique whistling solos.

MANY DRAFTED MEN

ALREADY IN SERVICE.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

SANTA MONICA, March 10.—Santa Monica draft board, county board No. 2, today reported that eighty-seven of the men called for examination had failed to appear. The list of delinquents was turned over to Chief F. W. Ferguson of the Santa Monica police. The latter will make every effort to apprehend any of those that failed to appear that are still within his jurisdiction.

According to Clerk Henry J. Stanley of the board, many of those on the list are already in the service, but they have not yet been certified to the local board from Sacramento, nor have the men themselves notified the board to this effect. Many others are delinquents as Mexican.

Fourteen drafted men will leave here tomorrow, including eleven who go to Rockwell Field, San Diego, to train for the aviation branch of the service, two to the Naval Reserves at San Francisco, and one to the Medical Corps there.

SOIL SURVEY MAP.

Department of Agriculture Says San Fernando Valley Contains Lands of High Fertility.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

SAN FERNANDO, March 10.—A soil survey of the San Fernando Valley, one of the few of such works as yet published, has been issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, giving an entire list of all the soils to be found here and a large map giving their location.

In the general description of the valley the pamphlet states that it comprises "an area of 274 square miles, or 175,360 acres, and is 24 miles in length and from 12 to 14 miles wide. The soil area, which consists of 34 distinct varieties which are in varying degrees tillable, comprises about 171,748 acres, leaving 47,424 acres of rough land and washes. The Yolo loam and Tujunga sandy loam are the largest bodies of soil."

The report states that irrigation is practical over most of it by means of pumped underground water and a wide variety of crops is produced both with and without irrigation, and that fruit culture is an important industry, also that most of the soil types are very valuable for an unusually wide range of crops and produces heavy yields. A limited number of copies of this government report may be secured upon application to Congressman C. E. Randall, Washington, D. C.

## ORGANIZE TO FIGHT

ALLEGED REPRISAL.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

IMPERIAL, March 10.—To battle the alleged plan of the liquor interests to divert their trade to other cities in the valley as a reprisal for the recent closing of the saloons, the Imperial Business Men's Association was formed last night.

The mass meeting of merchants and other citizens was called to order by Lester Eicholz. Talks were given by Victor Langford, J. H. Edgar, George F. Hale, N. A. Macy, Jack Flynn, Charles Nelson, C. Farrel, Martin E. Brown, and J. R. Zucher. George Hale was chosen president, Victor Langford vice-president, and George Harris secretary and treasurer.

Promotion of a neighborhood feeling among the ranchers of the Imperial district to the avowed purpose of being on the main objects of the association, which will take no part as a body in the coming liquor fight at the election on April 6.

RANCHERS URGED TO

PLANT CASTOR BEANS.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

TULARE, March 10.—Federal experts, representatives of the County Farm Bureau, and several well-known ranchers addressed a gathering of the growers held here yesterday called with the object of increasing the interest in planting of castor beans, a war aid to the government. The beans are in keen demand at this time for the manufacture of certain essential gases and lubricating oil.

W. L. Olesby, who appeared before the meeting as a representative of the government, urged a large increase in plantings of these beans, not only as a patriotic duty, but as a means of realizing a good income from lands which might be worthless for other purposes.

FRUIT DAMAGED BY

FREAK HAILSTORM.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

WOODLAKE, March 10.—Some damage was done to apricot and other deciduous fruit crops by a hailstorm which visited this district and which continued violently until the ground was covered with hail pellets to a depth











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POPULATION

By the Federal Census (1910)—2,212,000  
By the City Directory (1917)—2,280,000

## POLICE BREAK RING OF CLEVER WIRE-TAPPERS.

Subject is Recognized and Arrested  
in Theater After New Swindle.  
Officers Seek Woman.

Wire-tapping bunco case brought to light late last night, and another ramification of the operations in Los Angeles is believed by the police to have been responsible for the arrest of several wealthy subjects when Edward Lappat, a ring of clever swindlers, was recognized and arrested in a downtown theater after a new swindle. Officers seek woman.

From there he was taken to a downtown "stock exchange," where the telephone wires were kept humming and thousands of dollars changed hands hourly. For a while he won, but in the end lost the money. By a clever maneuver the bunco men succeeded in sending Lappat to Salt Lake City, where he became aware of the fact that he was being followed.

## M.B. Blackstone Co.

Broadway at Ninth.

Presenting in Profusion

## The Easter Hosiery Styles

One of the most interesting of our Spring merchandise offerings is the presentation of the new Easter styles and colorings in women's and children's hosiery—shades especially selected to meet the new footwears.

## Easter Sale of Women's GLOVE SILK Vests

There is no other silk underwear so fashionably popular with the style-informed women of our community than these glove silk vests.

## Glove Silk Vests at \$2.75

Glove Silk Vests at \$3.75

## Glove Silk Vests at \$1.65

## The Favored Silk Fabrics— FOULARDS AND RADIUMS

These fine silk fabrics makes these handsome new silks

and radiums carefully selected from the most artistic

styles that will make up into dresses of exceptional

style effectiveness. All modestly priced considering

the quality of the class of silks. Shown in all wanted

## PLEADS CAUSE OF WAR SAVING.

Jane Addams Speaks of Food  
Administration Work.

We Must Raise, Economize  
More for Allies' Sake.

Declares Sympathy will Make  
for New Brotherhood.

Miss Jane Addams spoke at two big women's club meetings yesterday. She appeared first before the Woman's City Club in the Auditorium, with the platform laden with resolutions and the very essence of clubdom, and she received a rousing vote of welcome.

Miss Addams dealt with specific instances of dissatisfaction, such as the case of the Baltimore women, who, being asked to conserve potatoes by cooking them in their skins, discovered that but a few cents away 1000 boys, who had been

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## MUSICIAN BECOMES BRIDE OF LAWYER.

Mrs. Judson Randolph Rush.

Who until yesterday was Miss Augusta Dorothy Von Salsen of Glendora.



Two in One.

## BIRTHDAY CAKE GRACES WEDDING FEAST TABLE.

WITH Superior Judge Frank R. Willis officiating in the presence of the bride's parents and her sister, Mrs. Florence Durant, the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Von Denton of Glendora was the scene of a pretty and impressive wedding at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning, when their daughter, Miss Augusta Dorothy Von Salsen, was united in marriage to Attorney Judson R. Rush of Los Angeles.

Mr. Rush, law partner of Le Comte Davis, has been a practicing attorney here for twenty-seven years. He is 35 years old and his bride is 24.

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## TRY TO BEAT FOOD RULES.

Find Grocers Here Resorting  
to Subterfuges.

City Administrator Issues a  
Warning.

Bread Service in Cafes to be  
Curtailed.

New evasions and attempts to defeat the Food Conservation rules are springing up every day, according to Louis M. Cole, City Food Administrator. One of these that has come to the attention of Mr. Cole is that whereby several grocers and different customers purchase the correct amount of substitutes with wheat flour and then resell them back to the mill and grocers.

To abate this practice, Mr. Cole yesterday issued an order that there cannot be any return of wheat substitutes that have once been purchased. All grocers who are found to be practicing this evasion will lose their license. If they do over \$100,000 yearly business and, if smaller companies, they will have their flour supply shut off.

At a meeting of the Fair Price Committee yesterday, cornmeal was added to the list of fair food prices. The price decided upon was: yellow cornmeal, 10 pounds local, wholesale, 44 cents; retail, 47 cents; white cornmeal, wholesale, 41 cents; retail, 44 cents.

Sugar declined 15 cents on the hundred pounds to the grocer and 1 cent on five pound loaf to the consumer. Bread advanced 1 cent on all sizes.

"Owing to the scarcity and increased price of wheat substitutes, which have advanced 200 per cent within the last six days, it is only fair that a slight increase in bread prices be made," Chairman Thompson said yesterday afternoon.

In Indiana the bakers pay \$1.50 less per barrel than Los Angeles bakers, and yet they are charging the same prices that prevail here. At a meeting of the State Food Administrators held recently in Portland, Ore., it was decided that the bakers were entitled to a slight increase.

In regard to the recent expose of the potato situation, Mr. Thompson declared that the condition could be remedied and a market found for every potato in Southern California if the local growers would grade potatoes as the northern producers do.

ABOUT SANDWICHES.  
A special United States Food Administration notice will appear in all restaurants in this city today, serve people violating "his rule."

On this notice are printed the rules governing the observance of wheatless and porkless days and the wheatless meal. The following extract is the regulation concerning the serving of bread and sandwiches to patrons:

"Bread must be served for a meal, and, if so used, no other bread or rolls may be served. Four ounces of bread may be served for a meal, but no other bread, toast or rolls may be served with this bread. Two sandwiches may be served to any one guest, providing they are served as a bona-fide meal, and no additional bread may be served. Sandwiches must be obtained from a restaurant or a place where more than two ounces of bread are brought to restaurants or dining-rooms any bread or rolls from the outside for consumption in such places, and the proprietors must refuse to serve people violating 'his rule.'"

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## HERE ARE FAIR FOOD PRICES.

Quotations Show What You  
Should Pay Today for  
Things to Eat.

The following official quotations on foodstuffs, issued by the Los Angeles Fair Price Committee as neither a minimum nor a maximum, but as constituting a fair price for the commodities named, are now in effect:

Potatoes—Fancy Highlands, 150 pounds, wholesale, \$1.45; retail, 1 1/2-2 cents per pound; fancy local, 100 pounds, wholesale, \$1.45-1.75; retail, 2-3 1/2 cents per pound; choice Highlands, wholesale, \$1.15-1.35; retail, 1 1/2-1 3/4 cents per pound.

Onions—Fancy Brown, 100 pounds, wholesale, \$1.35-1.55; retail, 1 1/2-2 cents per pound; First, family, 40 pounds, wholesale, \$2.75; retail, 43; 24 1/2 pounds, wholesale, \$1.40; retail, \$1.55.

Corn meal—10 pounds, yellow, wholesale, 84 cents; retail, 77 cents; white, wholesale, 71 cents; retail, 65 cents. Sugar—Granulated, 100-pound sack, wholesale, \$7.85; retail, 5 pounds, 43 cents.

Bread—34-ounce, wholesale, 12 cents; retail, 14 cents; 16 ounces, wholesale, 8 cents; retail, 10 cents.

Butter—Creamery, extra, 1-pound carton, wholesale, 48-49 cents; retail, 53-54 cents. Oleomargarine—Best grade, per pound, wholesale, 32-33 1/2 cents; retail, 35-37 cents.

Eggs—Extra selected, dozen, wholesale, 42-43 cents; retail, 45-46 cents; selected, dozen, wholesale, 38-39 cents; retail, 41-42 cents.

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## LAWYER FACES GRAVE CHARGE.

Start Trial of Disbarment Suit Against Ona Morton.

Alleged to Have Taken Stolen Money as His Fee.

Attorney Says He Didn't Know Emolument was Tainted.

The trial of the disbarment proceedings of W. Ona Morton, one of the older practicing attorneys in this city, before Judge Monroe yesterday on the accusation of the Los Angeles Bar Association that he accepted money from George O. Butler, knowing that the money was stolen, is attracting much attention because of the gravity of the charge. The Governance Committee of the Los Angeles Bar Association has sent Attorney Collier in to court to watch the case.

Mr. Morton is represented by Attorneys Matthew Jones, Nathan Newby and Claude Morton. The defense is that Mr. Morton did not know that the money was stolen. Will Hayes, Mr. Morton's former partner, and Daniel M. Elder, a former law associate, are accused of accepting money from Butler, Mr. Elder receiving a sum for obtaining bail.

The Butlers, whose real name is Robertson, came from Murietta. There they knew John Smith. He always carried a large sum of money in his pocket. It was in this city that Mrs. Robertson admitted to Judge Monroe yesterday that she stole Mr. Smith's pocketbook containing \$1186.

She denied that her husband knew she was going to take it. "I took the pocketbook, my husband's hat and coat and left the room," she said. "I ran two blocks and waited for my husband."

Asked why she took the money, she replied: "I knew if I didn't take it, somebody else would."

The Butlers got in all \$1186 from Mr. Smith and after their escape from this city, the money was deposited in two banks in Phoenix under the name of Robertson. It is charged, Mrs. Butler admitted on the stand that she could not read and did not know where her husband had banked the money. The money was obtained from the banks on checks and drafts. About \$400 was received by the three lawyers for services rendered. The trial will be resumed today.

TO BE INTERVIEWED TOMORROW.

The remains of Mrs. Joaquina Pico de Moreno, who died on the 15th inst., at the Moreno residence, No. 1490 South Burlington avenue, will be interred tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Calvary cemetery. Mrs. Moreno was 78 years old and the last of a long line of the famous Pico family.

## SAYS HE WAS MUCH MARRIED.

Husband was Planning Fifth Matrimonial Flunge, Wife Charges.

Timothy P. Taylor, a machanic, was defendant in two suits brought by Mrs. Gertrude Taylor before Judge York, yesterday. In one Mrs. Taylor sought an annulment of her marriage to Mr. Taylor and in the other she asked for separate maintenance. The court gave her an order for \$25 a month alimony, and ordered Mr. Taylor to be in court before the annulment suit is decided.

Mrs. Taylor charges that Mr. Taylor was married four times and planned a fifth wedding. She alleges that Amy Taylor was one of these wives and was alive at the time he married the plaintiff in South Omaha, Neb., October 14, 1914.

MAYOR WOODMAN BACK.

Executive is Pleased at Results of Conference in North Over Power Situation.

Mayor Woodman yesterday upon his return from San Francisco said he had a most gratifying conference with members of the State Railroad Commission, Prof. Folsom, Federal Oil Administrator for the Pacific Coast, and A. E. Schwabacher, Fuel Administrator for California, on the local power situation. The Mayor indicated that the northern officials are anxious to settle the local controversy without engendering bitterness and now are considering a plan which they believe will be successful.

The big question is development of the city's hydro-electric power and its distribution. What the plan is that has been proposed by the officials, Mayor Woodman said he did not feel at liberty to announce.

President Robertson of the Pacific Service Commission returned with the Mayor.

FOR HOLLYWOOD TEACHER.

Funeral services for Miss Alice Mary Bantz, formerly a teacher of Hollywood High School, were conducted yesterday afternoon from the residence of her parents, No. 1114 McCadden place, Hollywood. Burial was in Forest Lawn cemetery. She leaves a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bantz. Miss Bantz was graduated from the Riverside High School, later attending the University of California. In 1912 and 1914 she made a trip around the world, visiting many countries and collecting material for her work as a history teacher. She was 18 years old and the last of a long line of the famous Bantz family.

## MAY COST US SHIPBUILDING.

Lack of Houses at Harbor a Grave Problem.

Government may Withhold Further Contracts.

Traffic Manager Points to Specific Instance.

The demand for houses at the harbor is so urgent that unless the problem is solved in the near future, local shipbuilding concerns will experience great difficulty in securing additional contracts from the government. There is plenty of labor in Southern California and enough to man the shipyards at the harbor, even if work should be doubled, but more homes must be built to house the laborers and their families.

These statements were made yesterday by Clarence H. Matson, chief traffic manager of the harbor department, before George L. Craig, who has arranged to proceed with a new plant, has been notified by the Emergency Fleet Corporation that it is not encouraging new shipyards until it is convinced that the labor supply, housing and the technical organization of the contracting company will not interfere with the carrying out of the contract. Mr. Craig's proposal, however, has been placed on file in Washington for further consideration.

BIG LOSS OF TIME.

"At some places in the East the conditions are far worse than they are here," said Mr. Matson, "and the Shipping Board is cautious about letting contracts for so many ships at Los Angeles as to produce similar conditions at this port."

"Of the \$500 men now employed by the Los Angeles Shipbuilding and Drydock Company, it is said that approximately 4000 are compelled to live at a distance from the plant, going many miles to and from work every day, some coming even from Glendale and Pasadena."

"This, of course, means a great loss of time to the men. The time spent by these men going and coming from their work would be sufficient to operate another shipyard employing 1000 men."

PROBLEM IS URGENT.

"If the housing situation at the harbor could be met, Mr. Craig believes the Shipping Board on the other points in question. He proposed to take a contract for building twelve steel ships, and the yard which he proposed would be a material addition to the shipbuilding facilities under the control of the Shipping Board, and would have been a good thing for Los Angeles."

"With the tremendous growth of shipbuilding at Los Angeles Harbor, the problem of housing the employees near the plants has not been solved. It must be solved if new shipyards are to be established."

"Apartments and houses are needed by the hundreds throughout the harbor district."

FOR G.A.R. MEETING.

General Orders for Encampment of Department of California and Nevada are Issued Here.

Officers of the Department of California and Nevada, Grand Army of the Republic, with headquarters at No. 417 Chamber of Commerce Building, yesterday issued general orders regarding the fifty-first annual encampment, which will be held in Oakland, May 7.

The department headquarters will be at Hotel Oakland, and the Commander-in-Chief, Orlando A. Somers, will be there on May 8, 9 and 10. A meeting of the council of administration will be held at the hotel on the morning of May 7. Sessions of the council will be held at the hotel in the Oakland Auditorium. All railroads will grant a rate of a fare and a third for the round trip. It is stated, and special trains will be run from Southern California.

PULLING OF SWITCHES IS UP IN COUNCIL.

EMERGENCY LIGHTING PLANT RESOLUTION IS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE.

Councilman Cleveland yesterday introduced a resolution charging striking employees of the Southern California Edison Company with pulling electric switches and throwing several sections of the city into darkness during the past week. No sooner had it been read than Councilman Criswell, the union's advocate, objected by shouting and when the resolution was finally disposed of it had hardly any semblance of the original.

"How do we know that the employees of the company pulled the switches?" Mr. Criswell asked. "Of course we don't know it," said Mr. Reeves of the Master Plumbers' Association. President Farmer said he thought the reference to the strikers could be eliminated. At last Mr. Cleveland said he thought so, too.

The purpose of the resolution was to have an emergency lighting plant installed at the Receiving Hospital and at the jail. One night last week the surgeons were operating upon a man when one of the strikers threw that end of town into darkness and a few hours later the patient died. Mr. Cleveland said, "but the incident furnishes sufficient reason for installing an emergency lighting system."

The resolution was referred to the Finance and Public Safety Committee.

NEW APARTMENTS.

Formal opening of Hollywood's new and picturesque, in Normandy Court apartment house, Hollywood boulevard and Normandie avenue, will be celebrated next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock with a dance, special entertainment and music.

The style of the new apartment is something new and hitherto unknown in Los Angeles. It is modeled and follows the French system of architecture and construction throughout. In the center of the building, like the Spanish hacienda, is a large court, with balconies from every floor giving out on these.

## ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOLS SOARS.

Many New Students are Enrolled in Our Public Institutions.

A report on school attendance in Los Angeles for the month of March was submitted to the Board of Education last night, showing that during the month 7815 new pupils were enrolled. Of these, 3746 were boys and 3869 were girls. The elementary schools got 4717 of these children, and there were 2898 who entered the high schools.

WANTS HOSPITAL FACTS.

Councilman Criswell announced yesterday that he is anxious to get all the information possible about the alleged mismanagement of patients at the Receiving Hospital. He is chairman of the special committee appointed to investigate conditions at that institution.

"On all sides I hear reports of malpractice at the Receiving Hospital, but no one gives me any definite information," said Mr. Criswell. "I want specific cases and will endeavor to go to the bottom of every one."

It is understood that other city officials now are investigating three cases in which patrolmen are the aggrieved ones.

USE MORE PAPER MONEY, WE'RE URGED.

STATE TREASURER HERE IN CAMPAIGN TO GET GOLD FOR RESERVE BANK.

F. W. Richardson, State Treasurer, a guest at the Hayward, is here in an endeavor to bring Southern California banks to a realization that it is necessary for them to co-operate with the State treasury in turning gold into Federal reserve banks by substituting currency for gold coin.

"We are working in conjunction with the Federal Reserve Bank in this matter," said Mr. Richardson last evening, "and I have endeavored to change from a gold to a currency basis. This is hard to do as yet, as Californians have always had a gold standard. We are working up a campaign to induce people to co-operate with us. For every gold dollar the government is able to issue \$2.50 worth of currency, which is acceptable anywhere in the country as its face value."

Mr. Richardson stated that this time last year there was \$6,000,000 in gold in the State treasury, and that now \$1,400,000 is the standing amount. He collected taxes from 17,000 corporations in February from which about \$7,500,000 was realized in current taxes, exchanged through the Federal reserve bank.

"We need plenty of money to help win the war," said Mr. Richardson. "We have a great deal of man power, but we can never get too much money. We have had to educate the people to purchase Liberty Bonds, War Savings Stamps, etc., but now that they have learned what it is to buy bonds they are responding wonderfully. The country is very patriotic, and it has been marvelous the way that California has come through in times of need. All we need now is a little co-operation in conserving the gold supply."

ENDEAVOR FLYING SQUADRON VISITORS.

The Christian Endeavor "flying squadron," which is visiting the larger cities of the State for the purpose of giving personal invitations to attend the State Christian Endeavor convention in Sacramento early in July, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday, and after a stop here proceeded to Santa Ana. The party will go to San Diego today. It also will make visits to Riverside, San Bernardino, Santa Monica and Santa Barbara while in Southern California.

The "flying squadron" is composed of young business and professional men of Sacramento, who conduct Christian Endeavor rallies. In the party also are John B. Hawley, general chairman of the 1918 convention; Everett C. Rutherford, chairman of the Registration Committee; Elia Kick, president of the Sacramento County Christian Endeavor Union; Henry C. Deaton, former State president, and chairman of the Convention Committee; Mildred Lothammer, State intermediate superintendent; Franklin Jerauld and Pappy Junior.

UNDER OBSERVATION.

E. J. Edmunds, the alleged fanatic who terrorized the Sunday night congregation at Temple Baptist Church by flourishing a supposed bomb and revolver and shouting "Ireland must be free," is under observation in the psychopathic ward of the County Hospital. Paper found on his person lead the police to believe that he is a discharged soldier from the Canadian army, having seen service on the western front.

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### AUGUSTINE CONSTANTIAN'S

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PERSIAN AND CHINESE

# RUGS

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## ALEXANDRIA HOTEL BALL ROOM

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

March 19, 20 and 21, 1918, at 2 P.M. and 8 P.M.

This sale is ordered by Mr. Augustine Constantian, who has for the past twenty-two years been conducting one of the largest wholesale Oriental rug businesses in the City of New York. He is widely known throughout the United States, and is a brother of Mr. S. M. Constantian, the well-known rug dealer of Los Angeles and Pasadena. Mr. Augustine Constantian has been for the past four years in the Orient, buying rugs for the American market, leaving China in December, 1917, to return to this country to straighten out his business, preparatory to an extended buying trip to the Orient.

Prevailing war conditions, however, have forced him to change his plans.

The Government Embargo Agitation on Importing Oriental Rugs into this country has caused him to cancel his transportation, and he has decided to retire from the business. This wonderful collection, therefore, which includes Mr. Augustine Constantian's private collection of Antiques, and which has taken him a lifetime to collect, is now placed on sale in this city.

Owing to the growing scarcity of Oriental rugs this is an opportunity of a lifetime to acquire rugs of real merit and value for your home at your own price. The sale will be at Mr. A. S. SALISIAN, who will personally conduct this sale.

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The only way to fight "Acid-Mouth" is to fight it every day by using the dentifrice that counteracts "Acid-Mouth"—

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## DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Oranges and Lemons.  
CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS  
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

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## SHIPPING.

PORT OF LOS ANGELES.  
ARRIVED—MONDAY, MARCH 18.

Steamer	BARWOOD, Capt. Gallo, for Tacoma.
Steamer	Brunswick, Capt. Wahlgren, for Puget
Boat	—
Steamer	Daley Fulmar, Capt. Deyck, for Puget
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PASSENGER SCHEDULE.	
TO ARRIVE.	
March, from	Steamer.
10—Seattle,	Governor.....Pacific
10—San Diego,	Queen.....Pacific
21—San Diego,	Governor.....Pacific
22—S. Fran.,	City of Tokyo.....Pacific
21—Seattle,	Admiral Fisher.....Pacific
TO DEPART.	
March, for	Steamer.
10—Portland,	Home City.....S.P.A.C.
10—Seattle,	Oregon.....Pacific
21—Seattle,	Oregon.....Pacific
22—S. Fran.,	City of Tokyo.....Pacific



## FREE BANKERS IN DRAFT CASE.

Demurrers to Indictments  
Sustained by Court.

Two Men are Released Owing  
to Technical Errors.

Order New Investigation by  
Federal Grand Jury.

United States District Judge Bledsoe yesterday sustained the demurrer to the indictment returned some days ago by the Federal grand jury, against George A. J. Howard, teller of the Hawaiian Savings Bank and Daniel O'Keefe, charged with making a false affidavit in the exemption proceedings of Edward B. Murray, who sought relief from the military conscription act. The defendants were represented by J. Wiseman MacDonald. It was intended that Max Lowenthal should argue the demurrer in behalf of Maurice S. Hellman, vice-president of the Security Trust and Savings Bank, but the attorney was ill. It is understood that the ruling of the court will apply to all of the indictments returned and also that brought against Edward B. Murray.

At the conclusion of the argument by Mr. MacDonald on the part of the defendants, and Assistant United States Attorney Lawson and Palmer, the court made the observation that in his opinion a motion had been committed, and he ordered the Federal grand jury to immediately take the matter up. The inquisitorial body will have the matter called to its attention Friday.

The fatal defects in the indictment were that it failed to state that at the time the affidavits were made by the defendants in support of the claim of exemption in behalf of Murray, that such claim was pending; that the indictment failed to show that at the time the affidavits were made that Murray's parents were then possessed of an income.

It was argued by Mr. MacDonald

## CONTRACT'S LET FOR TUNNEL.

John Hayes will Build the Second-Street Bore for Under a Million.

The Board of Public Works yesterday awarded to John Hayes the contract for building the Second-street tunnel. The total cost of the giant bore will be \$956,882.73.

Next Thursday the board will consider the damage claims and fix the amounts to be paid owners whose property will suffer as a result of the improvement.

It was stated that the active charges against the estate of Charles Murray, father of E. B. Murray, were more than enough to absorb his income, so that the statement of the defendant that the elder Murray and wife were dependent on the wages of the son were in reality true.

## FORMER POLICEMAN LOSES DAMAGE SUIT.

Miss Blanche Payson, the motion picture actress, who sued O. L. Wessker for \$28,825 damages for injuries she claimed she received by a fall at his jewelry store, lost her suit yesterday. A jury in Judge Moore's court, Mrs. Emily Warner foreman, returned a verdict for the defendant, the jury standing ten to two. Miss Payson achieved fame as the policeman at the San Francisco exposition. She is 6 feet 4 and weighs 210 pounds.

## TALK OVER "JOKER."

A conference between County Counsel Hill, Judge York and representatives from the legal department of several title and trust companies was held yesterday, bearing on the statement of Judge York to the Board of Supervisors that there was a "joker" in the deeds covering property in residence sections. Mr. Hill, to whom the board referred the matter, is preparing an exhaustive report for the supervisors.

## WOODMAN NOT A CANDIDATE.

Will Support Stephens for the Governorship.

Says He Should Have Backing of All Republicans.

Woolwine Gains in North as Heney Stock Falls.

BY THE WATCHMAN.

Returning yesterday from San Francisco and Sacramento, Mayor Woodman brought home some important and significant political information.

First of all, the Mayor made the formal declaration that he will not be a candidate for Governor. He stated that Gov. Stephens, who holds the position by appointment, has not made any mistakes to speak of and that he is entitled to the decision of the electorate, without obstruction from loyal Republicans, who are likewise loyal Southern Californians.

The Mayor was besieged by politicians and newspaper men in the north. All wanted to know if he would be a candidate for Governor. He told them, he stated yesterday, that he is too busy attending to the job of Mayor, and so would throw his support to Gov. Stephens.

The sentiment among northern Republicans strongly favors Gov. Stephens, the Mayor stated. In fact, he declared that there is little talk about any other Republican possibility.

## ROLPH MEDIATES.

Mayor Woodman paid a visit to Mayor Rolph while in the north, and had a long chat with him. He said yesterday that Mr. Rolph made no positive statement as to his candidacy for Governor, but that he left the northern Mayor with the opinion that he has determined to stay out of the race.

Saturday the Mayor spent several

## UTILITIES BODY HAS NEW HEAD.

Robert E. Wirsching Succeeds Fulton Lane; Gets no Salary.

Robert E. Wirsching was elected president of the Public Utilities Commission yesterday, succeeding Fulton Lane, resigned. Mr. Lane quit the important post when Mayor Woodman succeeded in having the Council adopt an ordinance eliminating the salary of the position. Formerly the job paid \$208 a month.

The motion to elect Mr. Wirsching was made by Mr. Lane, and was unanimously adopted. Mr. Lane announced that he will remain a member of the commission.

Hours in Sacramento with Gov. Stephens. He stated that the chief executive is optimistic over the chances and believes that Southern California will give him the bulk of its support. The Governor has been in the north since he left all over California, the Mayor asserted, and if the south stands behind the primaries, it is an easy victory at the primaries.

AMONG THE BOURBOONS.

So far as the Democratic race is concerned, Mayor Woodman said he was in the north to see the north and Woolwine. He said he found Woolwine sentiment strong everywhere and little or no Heney talk. If the primaries were to be held today, the Mayor believes Woolwine would beat Heney two or three to one.

Editor Hayes is expected back from the north today or tomorrow. That his sudden departure last week had an important bearing upon the gubernatorial race, is the opinion of local politicians. It is said he went to San Francisco to have a heart to heart talk with Mayor Rolph. If the latter finally decides not to become a candidate the Hayes stock unquestionably will be permitted in this court, sternly rebuked Judge Willis.

There exists in this case no controversy between capital and labor. This defendant is charged with a capital offense against the State and the evidence must be in accordance with the facts.

## LION AGAIN APPEARS.

Police Start Hunt for Prowling Beast Seen by Many Near Lincoln High School.

The Boyle Heights lion again made his appearance yesterday afternoon, three women and a boy telephoning police headquarters that they had seen him behind the new Lincoln High School. A squad of seven policemen arrived with rifles and shotguns, were sent to the scene, but after a fruitless hour's search gave up. It is believed that the lion is a stranger from the foothills, as none of the local zoos report the loss of such an animal.

## GROCERIES STOLEN.

Using a pass key to gain entrance to the store of S. Pellico, No. 146 West High street, yesterday morning, burglars ransacked the place and carried away \$200 worth of groceries, smoked hams, and other provisions. It is believed that the goods were taken in an automobile, as neighbors reported a machine standing near the grocery at an early hour.

J. C. Donnell.

## LARGEST OIL PRODUCER IS GUEST AT LUNCHEON.

A LUNCHEON was given at the California Club yesterday by W. L. Valentine, and attended by twenty prominent men of the city. In honor of J. C. Donnell, president of the Ohio Oil Company, the largest producing company in America. Those present were J. C. Donnell, H. W. Bartlett, H. W. Keller, W. E. Dunn, Albert Crocker, M. J. Connelley, Dr. Ernest Bryant, Allen C. Balch, James C. Drake, W. H. Holliday, Judge Charles Monroe, E. O. McLaughlin, E. J. Marshall, Dan Murphy, Frank Griffith and W. L. Valentine.

Mr. Donnell has been spending several weeks in Southern California and is strong in his praise of this section as winter resort and place of residence. He is a prominent figure in the history of oil development in the United States.

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## MIDWAY GAS PIPE LINE FRANCHISE SOLD CHEAP.

THE pipe line franchise of the Midway Gas Company was sold by the Board of Supervisors yesterday to Dan Murphy, president of the Brea Canyon Oil Company, and E. J. Dillon, a co-partnership, for \$750. The bid started at \$100, was raised to \$150 by the Midway and jumped by Murphy and Dillon to \$500, to \$550 by the Midway and to \$750 by Murphy and Dillon, with no further offer from the representative of the Midway present.

Murphy and Dillon had the money in a bag, and from the time the bid was opened they were evidently prepared to bid high for this franchise, which

## REDS FLOCK TO MURDER TRIAL.

Attorneys Clash as the Action Against Radical Begins.

Defense Lawyer Complains of Police Department.

Sternly Rebuked by Judge for His Remarks.

With Socialists and Mexican revolutionists crowding the courtroom and deputy sheriffs in evidence, the trial of Raul Palma, so-called disseminator of inflammatory Socialist propaganda and self-styled uplifter of the Mexican people, began yesterday afternoon before Superior Judge Willis.

Palma is 21 years old and is charged with the murder of Peter Peters, a grocer, who was shot down by two Mexicans when his store at Twenty-third street and Compton avenue was robbed July 15, 1918.

The selection of a jury was marked by frequent clashes between Deputy District Attorney Doran and Chalm Shapiro, who conducted the examination of prospective jurors for the defense. Nine jurors were named, with three more to be selected.

Shapiro waxed wrathily when Doran objected to his frequent reference to the police and detective departments in the course of the examination and Judge Willis interjected the words "be quiet."

"Your honor," said Shapiro, "all we ask is a fair trial. We wish to show that the police and certain detectives, notably Detective Rico, have persistently harassed and persecuted this defendant."

"You'll get a fair trial, all right," snapped Doran, "but you've got to cut out reference to the police and detective departments in this case."

Later on during the examination Shapiro asked questions the jury panel regarding their prejudices to union labor when Doran promptly interposed his objections, adding that union labor controversies were not pertinent to the case and were therefore irrelevant. He was sustained by the court.

"If this is the class of testimony you intend to introduce it will not be permitted in this court," sternly rebuked Judge Willis.

There exists in this case no controversy between capital and labor. This defendant is charged with a capital offense against the State and the evidence must be in accordance with the facts.

## STERNLY REBUKED.

Shapiro was again on his feet and addressing the court, said: "Your honor, the defendant will not have a fair trial unless we are permitted to refer to these conditions. Then the defendant will go on the stand and tell his story of two years' persecution at the hands of Detective Rico and the police."

"He will not tell that story in this court," reiterated Judge Willis, "because it has no bearing at all on the facts in this case."

The courtroom was in a state of nervous tension all afternoon, which commenced when a number of Socialist and I.W.O. sympathizers were ejected into the corridor because they were unable to find seats inside.

## SOCIALISTS PRESENT.

Among the spectators were a number of sympathizers of the defendant, among them Norbert Myers and Nicholas Sena. Sena, accused recently by the government of illegal transportation of arms into Mexico, and several members of the Magon family.

Peters was killed and his brother, George Peters, seriously wounded when two bandits later identified as Mexicans, entered their store and opened fire when they did not respond promptly to a command to throw up their hands.

Detective Louis Rico arrested Palma almost a year later and he was identified, it is declared, by George Peters and several neighbors of the Peters who saw the bandits leave the store after the shooting.

J. C. Donnell.

## LOSS OF PANTS LHER PUNISHMENT.

Susie Hartman, Girl Bandit, Gets Probation with a String Attached.

In placing Susie Hartman on probation yesterday, Judge McCormick imposed several conditions. The girl, who won notoriety by wearing male attire and being known as the leader of a gang of boy bandits and burglars, was specifically charged with entering a room at a hotel and stealing a watch.

The court told her she must not wear male attire. She must remain in the Los Felis Hospital until the physicians release her. After that for two years she must report to the probation officers.

## TAKEN AS DESERTER.

Man Sought for Months Said to Have Been Seized by Wife who Once Accused Him.

Accused of being a deserter from the United States Army, G. H. Edinger was taken to Fort MacArthur yesterday, after having been sought for months by the Federal authorities. He was arrested by Constable Henry C. Hayes.

Local police officials have been searching for Edinger since June 10, 1917, at which time his wife, Dora, obtained a warrant from the District Attorney, charging that he threatened to kill her.

Edinger was traced recently to the home of his wife, who, according to the District Attorney's office, shielded him from arrest.



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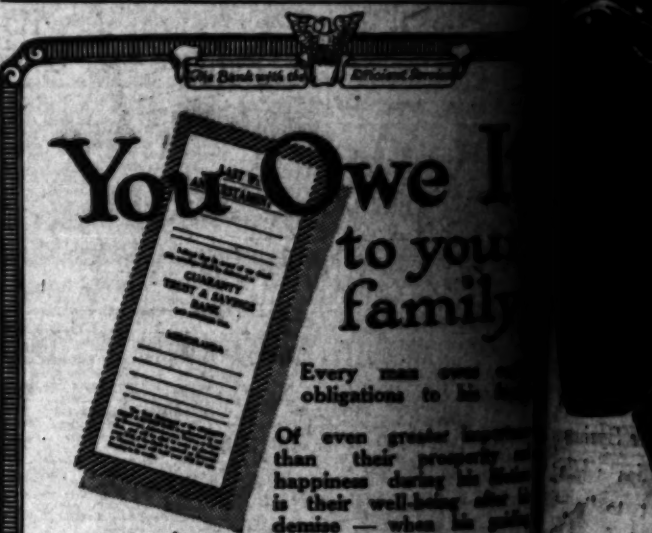
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